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Green Community Task Force Meeting Minutes November 16, 2010

Present:

Members:

S.Marsden, P.Slattery, J. McQuaid, E. Sund, S. DiCampo

Town Liaison: M. Benson, J. Breault, J. Londa

1. Minutes were reviewed and approved for 9/14/2010 meeting.

2. M. Benson advised of conversations with M. Sauvegeau regarding latest Building Code revisions. As predicted the new code contains increased R values in the base code. An increase in Stretch Code requirements is in discussion at the State level. M. Sauvegeau advised that the Town vote to adopt the provisions of IEEC Building Code, 2009 edition, as it is already law. Expectation is that the Stretch Code may still be proposed for adoption at the Fall Town Meeting but is pending further developments.

3. P. Slattery again questioned the Town Web Page content. M. Benson continues to work with the webmaster. J. McQuaid can now access the web page and provide updates.

4. In order to comply with the Green Communities Act the following actions were taken:
a. Voted to request adopting IEEC Code to satisfy criteria for becoming a Green Community.
b. Voted to evaluate and consider a vehicle acquisition plan.

5. Discussed a solar RFQ as it applies to the Power Provider RFP solar project at the former landfill. Items noted were qualifications, a 25 year term and price & non price proposals.

6. S. Marsden advised that no response resulted from his contact of WPI to determine if a student led project with professor certification would provide a validated wind study for funding through MEC.

7. J. Londa presented a list of questions regarding the solar project for discussion.

8. Future meeting to be scheduled and Committee advised.

9. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM

Patrick J. Slattery, Secretary

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